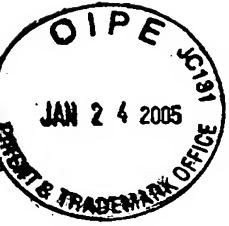


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RESPONSE TO
RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Applicant hereby replies to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2004, which did not address the merits of the above-identified patent application, but required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121.

REMARKS

Summary of Office Action

Claims 77-272 are pending in this application.

The Examiner required restriction of this application to the invention of one of the following groups: Group I (claims 77-93 and 211-216), Group II (claims 94-108 and 217-222), Group III (claims 109-210 and 223-258), and Group IV (claims 259-272).